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TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk

Evangeline A. Chadwick

Selectmen

Robert S. Bristol	Term expires 1953
George H. Hosmer	Term expires 1954
Clifford W. Ayer	Term expires 1955

Town Treasurer

Sherman J. Felch

Tax Collector

George A. French

Highway Agent

Nelson M. Adams

Trustees of Trust Funds

Carlington G. Wells	Term expires 1953
Clifford W. Ayer	Term expires 1954
Alice C. Davis	Term expires 1955

Auditor

Benjamin H. Yerxa

Trustees of Library

Myrta Wolfe	Term expires 1953
Clifford W. Ayer	Term expires 1953
Addie P. Nelson	Term expires 1954
Maude T. Clark	Term expires 1954
Blanche E. Thompson	Term expires 1955
Robert S. Bristol	Term expires 1955

Police Officer
Ralph J. Whipple

Health Officer
James B. MacAllister

Librarian
Fannie I. Greene

Moderator
William B. Connor

Supervisors of Checklist

Eva V. Felch — Lena V. Willett
Dorothy B. Patten

Janitor of Town Hall
Warren E. Hosmer

Fire Warden
Vernon F. West

Deputy Fire Wardens

Nelson M. Adams — Clifford A. Sawyer
Robert S. Bristol — Herman P. Funke
James B. MacAllister

Budget Committee

George G. Wells	Term expires 1953
Katherine Palmer	Term expires 1953
Lloyd F. Little	Term expires 1954
Harris E. Wheeler	Term expires 1954
Harold D. Hurd	Term expires 1955
Dudley Coonley	Term expires 1955

Planning Board

John R. Powell
Elizabeth C. Coonley
George H. Hosmer
Eliot B. Foot
Ada L. Little
Harold D. Hurd
Vernon F. West
William B. Connor

Fire Protection Committee

Nelson M. Adams
Stanley Chapman
Edmund Dempsey
Walter Longley
Fritz Mattern
Earl Rowe
Carl Wells
John Wolfe
Orrison Woodward

School Moderator

Robert S. Bristol

School Board

Ralph J. Whipple	Term expires 1953
George G. Wells	Term expires 1954
Katherine Palmer	Term expires 1955

School Treasurer

Clifford W. Ayer

School Auditor

George H. Hosmer

Superintendent of Schools

William C. Sterling

Central School Committee

Eliot B. Foot
Weston A. Chadwick
Carl G. Wells
Helena Wells
Marguerite Rowe
Estelle Rooney
Elizabeth Coonley
Rena Robinson

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Sutton in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Pillsbury Memorial Hall in said Sutton on Tuesday, the tenth day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing. The polls to be open for this purpose from ten thirty of the clock in the forenoon and to be closed no earlier than six thirty of the clock in the afternoon.

2. To bring in your votes on the following question: "Shall the provisions of chapter 171-A of the Revised Laws relative to playing games of beano be adopted in this town?"

3. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation for the same.

4. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the payment of aid to persons on public welfare.

5. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repair of highways and bridges, including the oiling of roads.

6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed $1,041.78 for Town Road Aid.

7. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for street lighting.

8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region.

9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money beyond that required by law for the maintenance of the Sutton Free Library.

10. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day observance.

11. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Old Home Day celebration.

12. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the expenses of the fire department, and forest fire fighting, and pass any vote relating thereto.

13. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the New London Hospital.

14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $400.00 for the control of White Pine Blister Rust.

15. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for cleaning the "mill pond", and repairing the dam at the Library.

16. To see what action the town will take in regard to plowing snow from driveways.

17. To see if the town will vote to accept a trust fund of $100.00 from Mrs. Sadie Bullard for the care of the Bullard lot in the North Sutton cemetery.

18. To see if the town will vote to accept a trust fund of $100.00 from Mrs. Helen Hall for the care of the Richard Hall lot in the Millwoods cemetery.

19. To see if the town will vote to close, subject to gates and bars a portion of old State Route 103 at Roby from a point twenty feet east from the east end of the concrete bridge to a point fifty feet west from the west end of the same bridge.

20. To see if the town will vote to close, subject to gates and bars, a portion of the road from State Route 114 near the residence of Mrs. Irene Pease to the residence of Warren Cutting formerly the Charles Foster place.

21. To see if the town will vote to amend the vote taken at the Annual Town Meeting 1952 on Article 24 in the Warrant so that it will read to close subject to gates and bars a portion of the back road to Nelson Hill.

22. To see if the town will abandon a certain section of road within the bounds of Wadleigh State Park extending some eight hundred fifty feet (850'), (points A-B on map), upon completion and acceptance by the Selectmen of some five hundred ten feet (510') of natural gravel surface highway eighteen feet wide (18'), (points A-C on map) to be constructed by the State of New Hampshire.

23. To see if the town will vote to allow the Town Hall to be used for basket-ball practise and competitive games only in elementary school groups under proper supervision.

24. To see if the town will vote to allow the Collector of taxes additional compensation for his services in collecting the state head tax and to fix the amount thereof.

25. To see if the town will vote to allow a discount for the early payment of taxes.

26. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

27. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this eighteenth day of February in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

ROBERT S. BRISTOL,
GEORGE H. HOSMER,
CLIFFORD W. AYER,
Selectmen of Sutton.

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

ROBERT S. BRISTOL,
GEORGE H. HOSMER,
CLIFFORD W. AYER,
Selectmen of Sutton.

BUDGET COMMITTEE ESTIMATE

FOR 1953

Appropriation recommended:

Town Charges:		
Salaries	$1,500.00	
Expenses	1,000.00	
Election and Registration	175.00	
Town Hall	500.00	
Insurance (town hall)	300.00	
Police Department	100.00	
Vital Statistics	20.00	
Health Department	20.00	
Care of Dump	275.00	
Care of Common	20.00	
Cemeteries	700.00	
Interest	200.00	
		$4,810.00
Town Maintenance	$7,500.00	
Street Lighting	1,375.00	
General Highway Expenses	500.00	
Town Road Aid	1,041.78	
Library	383.00	
Town Poor	700.00	
Old Age Assistance	2,500.00	
Memorial Day	100.00	

Fire Department	500.00	
Forest Fire	100.00	
Old Home Day	50.00	
Blister Rust	400.00	
New London Hospital	400.00	
Soldiers Aid	300.00	
Dartmouth Lake-Sunapee Region	75.00	
Library Dam repair	300.00	
		$16,224.78
Grand Total		$21,034.78

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

Land and Buildings	
(Exclusive of Wood and Timber)	$935,490.00
Electric Plants	90,950.00
Horses, 65	4,350.00
Cows, 70	8,765.00
Neat stock, 11	1,225.00
Sheep and goats, 10	160.00
Fowls, 553	690.00
Boats and launches	1,950.00
Portable mills, 2	650.00
Wood, lumber	15,675.00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	1,510.00
Stock in trade	13,800.00
Mills and machinery	1,700.00
Total	$1,076,915.00
Less amount exempted to soldiers	35,150.00
Net valuation on which rate is computed	$1,041,765.00

APPROPRIATIONS 1952

Town Officers' Salaries	$1,350.00
Town Officers' Expenses	900.00
Election and Registration	250.00
Town Hall and Buildings	300.00
Police Department	100.00
Fire Department	500.00
Fire Hose	220.00
Civilian Defense	200.00
Blister Rust	400.00
Health Department	20.00
New London Hospital	400.00
Dump	180.00
Vital Statistics	20.00
Town Road Aid	1,046.95
Town Maintenance:	
Summer	3,000.00
Winter	5,000.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	500.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	200.00
Street Lighting	1,275.00
Water Holes and Hydrants	100.00
Libraries	383.00
Old Age Assistance	2,700.00
Public Relief:	
Town Poor	800.00
Soldiers' Aid	300.00
Memorial Day	100.00

South Sutton Common	20.00
Cemeteries	700.00
Church Fund	60.00
School Fund	90.00
Advertising and Regional Association	75.00
County Tax	4,508.65
School Tax	30,331.00
Total Town and School Appropriations	$56,029.60
Less estimated Revenue and Credits:	
Interest and Dividend Tax	1,479.63
Railroad Tax	.84
Savings Bank Tax	130.00
Reimbursement on account of State lands	60.00
Reimbursement on account of exemption of growing wood and timber	3,605.32
Motor vehicle permit fees	1,550.00
Dog tax	205.00
Total Revenues and credits	$7,030.79
	$48,998.81
Plus overlay	542.15
Net amount to be raised through taxation	$49,540.96
Less 289 polls at $2.00	578.00
Amount to be raised by property taxes on which tax rate is figured	$48,962.96
Taxes actually committed to Collector	$48,962.96
Poll taxes	578.00
Total taxes committed	$49,540.96

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on Hand January 1, 1952	$8,342.89	
Receipts for year	80,824.40	
		$89,167.29
Paid on Selectmens' orders	76,337.56	
Cash on hand December 31, 1952	12,829.73	
		$89,167.29

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I hereby certify that I have examined the books and accounts of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Road Agent, Library Trustees, and Trustees of Trust Funds of the Town of Sutton for the year ending December 31, 1952, and find them correctly cast and vouchers for all payments.

BENJAMIN H. YERXA
Auditor

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Received for 1951 Permits (17)	$28.40
Paid to Treasurer	$28.40
Received for 1952 Permits (213)	$1,645.25
Paid to Treasurer	$1,645.25
Total number auto permits 330	
Received for 83 male dogs @ $2.00	$166.00
Received for 17 female dogs @ $5.00	85.00
Received for 1 kennel	12.00
Total 103 dogs	$263.00
Less commission and expenses	33.30
Paid to Treasurer	$229.70

TOWN CLERK'S SALARY

Evangeline A. Chadwick, election, etc.	$17.80
Evangeline A. Chadwicck, auto permits	165.00
Evangeline A. Chadwick, copying invoice	20.00
Evangeline A. Chadwick, copying records	12.80
Evangeline A. Chadwick, vital statistics	14.50

TOWN CLERK'S EXPENSES

Evangeline A. Chadwick, 'phone, postage, supplies, etc.	$21.02

UNPAID HEAD TAXES — LEVY 1952

Eleanor Almstrom
Helen Barnes
Virginia Barrett
Albert Barwise
Hazel Barwise
Marion Bickford
Shirley Bowne
Beatrice Bradford
Carlton Bradford
Sermonia Burradell
Viola Busby
Roswell Busby
Olga Buck
Cynthia Coonley
Daniel Deno
Shirley Deno
Ellon Downes
Clayton French
Corrine French
Francis Gallagher
Margaret Gallagher
Vinal Gordon
Wayland Graves
Fannie Greene
Ella Griffin
Jesse Griffin
Oliver Hayward
Elizabeth Hayward
Florence Hopkins
Hugh Hopkins
Robert Hosmer
William Hosmer
Jean Hurd
Linwood Hurd
Levi Joslin
Dorothy O'Laughlin
James O'Laughlin
Florence Lowe
Donald Lowe
Grace Lowe
Thomas Lowe, Jr.
Richard Mason
Stella Mason
William Mason
Donald Noyes
Emily Partridge
Lawrence Partridge
Marion Partridge
Robert Partridge
Ernest Perkins
Lillian Putnam
Helen Rodman
Thomas Rodman
Archie Sawyer
Herman Schumacher
John Seymour
Florence Stone
Agnew Vincent
Emma Whipple
Raymond Whitworth
Ralph Whipple
Lena Willett
Leo Willett
Bernice Williams
Frank Williams
Barbara Wright
Albert Zikouras

UNPAID TAXES — RESIDENT, 1952

	Property	Poll
Charles and Grace Allen	$291.40	
Clifford Allen	126.90	
Elizabeth Barker	97.53	
Helen Barnes	214.79	
Virginia Barrett		2.00
Albert Barwise		2.00
Hazel Barwise		2.00
Marion Bentley	62.04	
Everett Bowne	25.85	
Shirley Bowne		2.00
Carlton Bradford	135.60	
Carlton Bradford and Clayton French	21.15	
Sermonia Burradell		2.00
Olga Buck		2.00
Shirley Call	266.26	
Murray Call	32.90	
Earl Chadwick	74.03	
Cynthia Coonley	1,144.45	2.00
Fred L. and Fred C. Davis	72.85	
Fred C. Davis	2.82	
Fred L. Davis	6.58	
Shirley Deno		2.00
Ellon Downes	2.35	2.00
Ella B. Fifield Heirs	47.00	
Clayton French		2.00
Margaret Gallagher		2.00
Fannie Greene	44.65	2.00
Linda Gay		2.00
Vinal Gordon		2.00
Willis Hill	134.42	
William and Roberta Hosmer	54.52	4.00

Florence Hopkins		2.00
Lyndon Huckins	23.50	
Linwood Hurd		2.00
Jean Hurd		2.00
Ella Griffin		2.00
Jesse Griffin		2.00
Raymond Keyser	60.40	
Charles Lajoy estate	5.88	
Margaret Lee	4.70	2.00
Donald Lowe		2.00
Florence Lowe		2.00
Thomas Lowe	188.00	
Lena McCoy heirs	58.99	
Sarah MacDonald		2.00
Stella Mason		2.00
William Mason	39.95	
William F. Nelson heirs	70.50	
Leonard Ordway	48.41	
Arthur Ordway	1.18	
Ronald Palmer	17.45	
Emily Partridge		2.00
Irene Pease	23.50	
Frank Pobuda	23.50	2.00
Levi Presby	31.02	
Lillian Putnam		2.00
Thomas Rodman	34.35	2.00
Helen Rodman		2.00
Dorothy Sawyer		2.00
Clifford Sawyer	260.44	2.00
Archie Sawyer	37.60	2.00
Herman Schumacher		2.00
Nathan Stearns heirs	8.46	
Florence Stone		2.00
Joseph Stone	103.40	
Agnes Vincent	206.80	
Parker Walton heirs	64.63	

Buster West		2.00
Lucille West	272.60	2.00
Morris Wheeler	155.10	
Bernice Williams		2.00
Frank Williams		2.00
Richard Whitworth heirs	51.70	
Leo Willett	66.98	
Ralph Whipple	79.90	
Ralph Weed	3.53	
Glenn Weeks	61.00	
Richard Wells	47.00	
Herbert West	16.45	
Robert Wright	171.55	
Barbara Wright		2.00
Parker Young	47.00	
Albert Zikouras		2.00

UNPAID TAXES — NON-RESIDENT, 1952

Robert Bean	$150.40
Maxwell Benedict	39.95
Kurt Bischoff	1.18
Pierre Bissonette	23.50
Paul Bund	247.20
Mrs. Frank Call heirs	5.88
City Lumber Co.	11.75
Mary M. Clark heirs	141.00
Lillian Chase and Amy Blake	65.80
R. E. Craig	21.40
Warren Crowell	94.00
Ralph and Walter DeRonde	58.75
Lewis and Alvira Drumm	141.00
Sarah Flint heirs	4.70

Eleanor Frazer	62.80
Herman Foster	126.90
Hampshire Oil Co.	14.10
Robert Hoyt	7.05
William Huntoon	3.53
Robert and Ellizabeth Ingraham	37.60
Kearsarge Reservoir	23.50
Walter Longley	291.40
Ruth Manning	33.37
Harry Mourisson	172.73
Edward Mullen	56.40
Carl Newcomb	1.18
Alvin and Mildred Partridge	9.87
Geneva Robbins	4.70
Edward Ryan	94.00
Spaulding and Kidder	65.80
Hazel Taylor	23.50
Alice Wangamann	11.75

UNPAID YIELD TAX

1951 — 1952

Norman Bentley	$66.12
John Endicott	24.00
Arthur Ordway	1.10
Robert Partridge	45.19
Frank Pobuda	48.05

CORRECTED SUMMARY OF TIMBER TAX LEVY

Number of Intents filed	41
Number of Reports filed	41
Number of abatements requested	18
Number of abatements granted	7

	Volume reported Cut	Total Assed Valuation	Tax
Stumpage taxed at 10%	1,523,749	16,806.48	1,680.65
Stumpage taxed at 7%	403,616	5,250.51	367.53
Pulp	135½ cords	209.32	20.93
Cord wood	114½ cords	162.50	16.26
		22,428.81	2,085.37

SUTTON VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT.

The year 1952 was a very good year in regard to fire losses. The Fire Dept. had 6 calls. Four were for chimney fires and two were for outdoor fires. There was no property loss at any of these fires,although one of the outdoor fires was very expensive to the Town of Sutton.

The year 1953 has started off badly. We have lost the O'Neil Mill at Blaisdell Lake, a loss we all very much regret.

The Town Meeting of 1952 appointed a Committee to study the Fire Protection problem for the Town of Sutton. That committee will report at this Town Meeting 1953. I hope you will give the problem your consideration and decide what is the best solution for our Town.

We are operating at present one truck loaded with Forest Fire Fighting equipment and two trucks loaded with water, hose and pumping equipment.

Sincerely,
Vernon West, Chief,
Sutton Vol. Fire Dept.

REPORT OF THE FIRE PROTECTION COMMITTEE

As voted at the 1952 town meeting, the Selectmen appointed a nine man committee to study the fire protection need of the town and to make recommendations. The committee was organized with the following members. C. G. Wells, Chairman, Orrison H. Woodward, Co-Chairman, Stanley Chapman, Secretary, and Nelson Adams, Edmund Dempsey, W. Longley, F. Matten, Earl Rowe, and John Wolfe.

After a meeting with the Selectmen the committee held one open meeting in each of the three villages to acertain as best they could what protection the people wanted and how they thought such protection could be provided. Members of the committee also visited neighboring communities to study what they had done and the cost of the fire protection.

The best protection by volunteer fire companies would in a community such as ours, be provided by having in each of three villages a well equipped fire company manned by volunteers who were well trained and were available and willing to turn out at all hours. Such a program however, would be costly and more volunteers would be needed than appears to be available at this time. The cost for equipment, housing, Insurance of equipment and the men on duty and for supplies for a three company set-up would over a period of years be approximately three times as much as for one company. And the capital cost for equipment and housing to get started on an adequate three company set-up would surely exceed Five thousand dollars ($5,000.00). We are advised that there would be no saving on insurance premium by having three companies.

In view of the high cost and other imited factors we believe that one company with equipment in the best practical location is what the town should have at this time. All other considerations being equal, the equipment should be kept at the center of the town, however, there are compelling reasons for having the equipment kept at its present location in the North Village. In the first place most of the apparatus was paid for by residents of the North Village, with the understanding that it would remain there. Secondly, the present housing is the only adequate facilities to protect the equipment. Thirdly, in view of Chief West's great interest, his willingness to serve, his special fire fighting knowledge, his availability to the North Village, make that location the best one.

If the one equipped company plan is adopted, then in fairness to the men who volunteer their services to encourage their progress through training and to permit further improvements and additions to equipments, the town should annually appropriate and turn over to a proposed committee sufficient funds to accomplish this.

Your committee in summary recommends:

1. That the North Fire Station be the location for the town's fire fighting equipment.
2. That the so-called South Pumper be housed for the cold months at the North headquarters, as is now done and located at the South for the warm months if and when there is interest and facilities there for such supplimentary protection.
3. That in the South and the Mills sections, groups be urged and encouraged to organize and get training, so that they may carry a fair share of the fire protection responsibility by being prepared and ready to take quick action locally when required to serve with the town's apparatus, when available and when called to fight forest fires.
4. That an appropriation of Four Hundred and Fifty

($450.00) annually be made to maintain equipment, purchase needed new tools and improvements and for the training of new members. This appropriation should be seperate from and in addition to such sums as the town appropriates as an estimated labor cost for Forest Fires.

5. That annually the Selectmen appoint a fire committee of three, one of whom shall be the Fire Chief, whose duties will be to authorize expenditures they approve, study fire protection needs and improvements and to make recommendation to the Selectmen.

The committee believes that one company fairly supported by the town and assisted when needed by the fire companies of our neighboring towns, will provide adequate service comparable to that of our neighbors and at a cost as low as any we have found.

The committee suggest that the town recognize the unusually fine contribution Mr. Vernon West has made and is willing to continue to make as Fire Chief.

Respectfully Submitted,
Orrison H. Woodward, Co-Chairman
Stanley Chapman, Secretary

Date: 3 February, 1953

REPORT OF FOREST FIRE WARDEN

TEAM WORK WILL DO THE JOB

Team work has won victories from time immemorial, for families, towns, cities, states and nations. Team work is the highest form and most democratic example of co-operation. Without team work, America and Americans would never have achieved the greatness that is theirs. We are all aware of its power and appeal. It is no less needed now than in the past.

Team work among those who live, work and recreate in and near the wodlands, is vital. There never was a time when our woodlands as a whole were in such precarious condition as they are now.

Since the hurricane, nearly 900,000 acres of slash have been added to our already sizeable slash problem. If we are to avoid unnecessary trouble with fire in our woodland areas everyone must cooperate — we must have team work. The remedy is simple —

YOU and YOU and YOU and YOU

MUST secure the required permit from your local forest fire warden before burning.

MUST use necessary precautions while burning or smoking in or near woodlands.

MUST not throw lighted cigars, cigarettes and matches from vehicles moving along highways.

Otherwise YOU might well contribute to a costly and damaging fire. And don't forget that fire might destroy your own property!

REMEMBER — Only YOU and YOU and YOU can prevent fire!

TEAM WORK WILL DO THE JOB!

Number of local fires, 3

Number of acres burned, 4

Number of permits issued, 69

VERNON WEST, *Forest Fire Warden*

THOS. KING, *District Chief*

WHITE PINE BLISTER RUST CONTROL

Financial Statement

Town of Sutton

1952

Town funds expended	$399.85	
Cooperative funds expended	337.35	
Total expended		$737.20
Received from town	400.00	
Expended from town funds	399.85	
Balance due town		.15
Area covered		1,195 acres
Currant & gooseberry bushes destroyed		4,802

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, land and building	$15,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	1,700.00
Library, land and building	11,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	3,000.00
Police Department, equipment	50.00
Fire Department, equipment	5,500.00
Highway Department, land and buildings	4,000.00
Equipment	7,357.00
Materials and supplies	638.00
Schools, land and buildings	3,000.00
Central School building lot	1,000.00
Equipment and supplies	750.00
Commons and outdoor stage	1,150.00
Property acquired by Collector's deeds	870.00
	$55,015.00

PROPERTY ACQUIRED BY TAX COLLECTORS DEEDS

Pillsbury land, 10A	$150.00
(opposite Millwoods Cemetery)	
N. G. Ordway lot, 56A	270.00
M. E. Bailey, lot, 60A	200.00
Gile land, 7A	50.00
(Above three lots adjoining, south of Gile Rd.)	
Arthur Andrews land, 8A	50.00
George Marena land, 4A	50.00
Carroll land at Roby	100.00
	$870.00

ASSETS

Cash in hands of Treasurer, Jan. 1, 1953	$12,829.73
Due from State, bounties	35.25
Due from County, aid	213.76
Unredeemed Taxes	666.25
Uncollected Taxes, levy of 1952 (including Yield tax)	9,673.02
Uncollected taxes, levy of 1951 (including Yield tax)	95.89
State Head taxes, levy of 1952	440.00
State Head taxes, levy of 1951	35.00
Uncollected Poll taxes, levy of 1952	104.00
Uncollected Poll taxes, levy of 1951	24.00
	$24,116.90

LIABILITIES

Bill outstanding, collector		$12.38
Bal. Library appropriation		205.13
Bal. Water hole appropriation		273.63
Bal. Civilian Defense appropriation		200.00
Bal. Signs and railings		29.65
Bal. Town Hall repairs, appropriation		19.05
Bal. landscaping cemetery, appropriation		100.00
State Head taxes, 1952		1,046.62
Advance on Timber tax		30.40
Due to School District:		
Balance on appropriation		20,741.00
Interest on School Fund		90.00
		$22,747.86
Excess of assets over liabilities		1,369.04
		$24,116.90
Net Debt, December 31, 1951	$4,313.59	
Surplus, December 31, 1952	1,369.04	

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

From Local taxes:		
Levy of 1952	$41,881.51	
Levy of 1951	9,774.50	
Levy of 1950	62.72	
Tax Sales Redeemed	766.23	
Interest	179.29	
State Head Taxes	1,416.00	
		$54,080.25
From County:		
Support of Poor	$147.16	
		$147.16
From State:		
Town Road Aid	$2,022.46	
For Class V Highways	2,250.60	
Interest and Dividend tax	1,565.26	
Railroad tax	.86	
Savings Bank tax	121.68	
Reimbursement a|c exemption of wood and timber	1,506.27	
Tax loss a|c State forest land		
1951	66.00	
1952	68.94	
Fire suppression	239.54	
Forest Fire training	7.58	
Bounties	36.75	
General prevention costs	3.76	
Old Age Assistance (Recovery Hunt)	27.98	
		$7,917.68

From local sources, except taxes:		
Dog licenses	$229.70	
Licenses and permits	3.00	
Automobile permits		
1951	28.40	
1952	1,645.25	
Highway Department	842.38	
Land	35.00	
		$2,783.73
Receipts other than current revenue:		
Temporary loans	$15,000.00	
City of Concord (Jenkerson)	285.40	
Curtis Association (refund)	8.00	
Filing fees	10.00	
White Pine Blister (refund)	.15	
Reimbursement Trustees of Trusts	484.00	
R. S. Bristol, Treas. of Library	108.03	
		$15,895.58
Total receipts, all sources		$80,824.40
Cash on hand January 1, 1952		8,342.89
Grand total		$89,167.29
Payments ending December 31, 1952		$76,337.56
Cash on hand January 1, 1953		$12,829.73

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SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries	$1,655.90
Town Officers' Expenses	1,029.38
Election and Registration	255.77
Town Hall	426.45
Police Department	87.09
Fire Department	1,075.03
Blister Rust	400.00
Bounties	35.25
Repairs to Town Hall	180.95
Care of Dump	180.00
New London Hospital	400.00
Vital Statistics	14.50
Roads:	
Summer	3,646.27
Winter	5,726.81
Duncan Fund	2,253.38
Street lighting	1,360.74
General Expenses of Highway Department	477.40
Libraries	404.06
Old Age Assistance	1,739.29
Town Poor	357.39
County Poor	531.54
Memorial Day	100.00
Soldiers' Aid	579.02
Recreation	111.94
Cemeteries	628.40

Unclassified:	
Advance on Timber Tax	30.40
Advance to Trustees of Trusts	434.00
Damages and Legal expenses	10.00
Taxes bought by Town	746.69
Wood	204.70
Interest	431.36
Town Road Aid	2,929.49
Temporary Loans	17,822.81
County Tax	4,508.65
Head Taxes	2,073.99
School District	23,508.91
Grand Total	$76,337.56
Cash on hand January 1, 1953	12,829.73
	$89,167.29

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

DETAIL NO. 1

Town Officers' Salaries

Appropriation		$1,350.00
Clifford W. Ayer, selectman	$205.00	
Robert S. Bristol, selectman	260.00	
Evangeline Chadwick, town clerk	173.80	
William B. Connor, selectman	93.00	
Sherman J. Felch, treasurer	100.00	
George A. French, 1951 tax collector	143.58	
George A. French, 1952 tax collector	450.00	
George A. French, 1951 head tax	27.02	
Francis Gallagher, dog constable	15.50	
George H. Hosmer, selectman	130.00	
Lloyd F. Little, auditor	19.00	
Benjamin H. Yerxa, auditor	19.00	
		$1,635.90
Overdraft		$285.90

DETAIL NO. 2

Town Officers' Expenses

Appropriation		$900.00
Association of N. H. Assessors, dues	$2.00	
Clifford W. Ayer	25.44	
Robert S. Bristol	58.51	
Brown and Saltmarsh, supplies	84.31	
Evangeline Chadwick, supplies, copying	50.80	
Margaret Chadwick, postage	7.50	
Edson Eastman, supplies	21.31	
Elkins Printing Co., printing	10.50	
Sherman J. Felch, postage	11.80	
Francis Gallagher, mileage	15.50	
George H. Hosmer, selectman	3.00	

Kearsarge Independent, notice	3.50	
Kearsarge Insurance Agency, bonds, insurance	188.14	
Norma Little, typing	4.00	
The Maxwell Press, reports	483.55	
Citizens National Bank, service charge	25.55	
Merr. Co. Reg. of Deeds, conveyances	15.97	
N. H.Tax Collectors' Association, dues	3.00	
Register of Probate, listing estates	.50	
Vernondale Store, supplies	.65	
Wheeler and Clark, rubber stamps	3.85	
Benjamin H. Yerxa, expenses, Overseer	10.00	
		$1,029.38
Overdraft		$129.38

DETAIL NO. 3

Election and Registration

Appropriation		$250.00
Credit, Filing Fees		10.00
		$260.00
William B. Connor, moderator	$15.00	
Evangeline Chadwick, Clerk and expenses	12.02	
Grace Cronin, ballot clerk	4.00	
Arthur Davis, ballot clerk	12.00	
Edson Eastman, supplies	3.00	
Eva Felch, supervisor	50.00	
Sherman Felch, ballot clerk	12.00	
Maxwell Press, ballots	29.75	
Fred Merrill, ballot clerk	4.00	
James Nelson, ballot clerk	8.00	
Dorothy Patten, supervisor	48.00	
Mark Stearns, ballot clerk	12.00	
Lena Willett, supervisor	46.00	
		$255.77
Balance		$4.23

DETAIL NO. 4

Town Hall

Appropriation		$300.00
Nelson M. Adams, fuel	$3.15	
Robert S. Bristol, fuel	19.85	
Cressy and Williams, lawn mower repair	13.24	
Gordon E. Davis, wood	66.00	
C. L. Haskell, fireproofing curtain	74.00	
Warren E. Hosmer, fuel	29.00	
Warren E. Hosmer, janitor	98.00	
Kearsarge Insurance Agency	1.21	
Merrimack Co. Telephone	41.30	
Public Service Co.	30.01	
Edgar Quint, tuning piano	7.00	
Sutton General Store, supplies	8.00	
Sutton Mutual Fire Insurance, assessment	16.00	
Phillip A. Thompson, fuel	10.38	
Willard's General Store, supplies	9.31	
		$426.45
Overdraft		$126.45

DETAIL NO. 5

Police Department

Appropriation		$100.00
Pistol permits		3.00
		$103.00
Charles L. Allen	$35.45	
Kearsarge Insurance Agency	1.64	
Ralph J. Whipple	50.00	
		$87.09
Balance		15.91

DETAIL NO. 6

Fire Department

Appropriation, fire department		$500.00
State of N. H., fire training		11.34
State of N. H., fire suppression		239.54
Appropriation, fire hose		220.00
		$970.88
General Expenses:		
American Fire Equipment Co., battery	4.29	
John A. Bailey	3.00	
Katherine A. Crowley, recording deed	1.28	
Herman P. Funke, training meeting	3.00	
Kearsarge Insurance Agency, men, trucks	190.35	
Keller's General Store, gas, oil, supplies	19.28	
MacAllister's Garage, gas, oil, supplies	14.06	
Justin A. McCarthy Co., fire hose	220.00	
National Fire Protection Association	17.50	
New London Fuel Co., fuel	40.93	
Ervin C. Patten, labor, parts - truck	48.92	
Richard Russell, dump fire	1.00	
Anthony Sikel, dump fire	1.00	
Vernondale Store, gas, oil, supplies	4.55	
Watts Regulator Co.	3.37	
George West, dump fire	3.60	
Vernon West, training meeting	5.08	
Vernon West, dump fire	13.92	
		$595.13
Shaker Street Fire:		
Vernon West	$24.38	
Herman Funke	7.50	

James MacAllister	7.50
Robert Bristol	12.50
Nelson Adams	3.75
Lloyd Little	2.50
Richard Funke	6.00
George West	13.50
Gordon Davis	2.00
Norman Bentley	6.00
Carroll Thompson	2.50
Phillip Thompson	2.50
John Bailey	9.50
Arthur Dorley	6.00
Harold Hurd	6.00
George Wells	6.00
Ralph Whipple	6.00
Robert Russell	6.00
Richard Russell	6.00
Herman Keller	6.00
Shirley Call	1.60
Leon Call	1.60
Richard Call	1.60
Richard Mitchener	2.40
Richard Hurd	4.80
Frank Davis	2.80
Arthur Davis	2.40
Vernondale Store	9.99
Town of Bradford	48.21
Town of Warner	29.35
Frank Pobuda	1.60
Fred C. Davis	3.20
Freddy Davis	2.40
Emerson Bailey	4.80
John Wolfe	6.00
Charles Allen	2.40
Clifford Allen	1.60
George Salo	1.60

Ervin Patten	2.80	
Allen Chadwick	1.60	
Paul Chadwick	1.60	
Leo Willett	2.40	
John Seymour	1.60	
William Hosmer	1.60	
Vernon Toppin	8.00	
Douglas Palmer	5.60	
Paula Bentley Smith	3.60	
Gayle Bentley	2.00	
Elmer Roby	1.60	
E. Hurd	2.40	
Linwood Hurd	2.40	
Alfred Gay	4.80	
George Kelley	1.60	
Ernest Perkins	2.80	
Eugene Mitchell	1.60	
Warren Cutting	2.40	
Johnny Davis	2.00	
Gilbert Baker	2.40	
Carlton Gay	4.40	
R. Scribner	1.60	
W. MacKintosh	2.40	
Warren Hosmer	2.40	
Donald Rowe	2.40	
Armand Deno	4.00	
William Buck	2.00	
Phillip Bentley	3.50	
Town of New London	73.12	
Town of Wilmot	58.80	
		$479.90
		$1,075.03
Overdraft		$104.15

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DETAIL NO. 7

Blister Rust

Appropriation		$400.00
Refund		.15
		400.15
William E. Messeck, appropriation	$400.00	
		$400.00
Balance		.15

DETAIL NO. 8

Bounties

Clifford W. Ayer	$6.25	
Robert S. Bristol	10.50	
William B. Connor	2.50	
George H. Hosmer	16.00	
		$35.25

DETAIL NO. 9

Health Department

Appropriation	$20.00
No payments	
Balance	$20.00

DETAIL NO. 10

New London Hospital

Appropriation		$400.00
Payment:		
New London Hospital, appropriation		$400.00
One half appropriation applied as follows:		
Stella Mason	$50.00	
Harry Lewis	50.00	
Soldiers' Aid	100.00	
		$400.00
Balance		None

DETAIL NO. 11

Care of Dump

Appropriation		$180.00
Nelson M. Adams	$11.90	
James MacAllister	147.59	
Harlan Nelson	12.26	
Gerald C. Roby	4.50	
Carroll L. Thompson	3.75	
		$180.00
Balance		None

DETAIL NO. 12

Vital Statistics

Appropriation		$20.00
Payments:		
Evangeline A. Chadwick	$14.50	
		$14.50
Balance		$5.50

DETAIL NO. 13

Town Maintenance (Winter)

Appropriation		$5,000.00
Plowing Driveways		155.00
Refund on gas tax		207.43
		$5,362.43
Payments:		
Nelson M. Adams	$612.72	
Charles L. Allen	301.70	
Norman Bentley	8.10	
Phillip Bentley	16.20	
Robert Bentley	8.10	
Esderas Blanchette	64.80	
Bradford Garage, repairs	384.32	
Casselini-Venable Corp., repairs	78.12	

Leon Call	12.60
Richard Call	39.00
William Connor	2.00
Cressy and Williams, repairs	20.35
Donald Davis	8.10
C. A. Dorval	3.50
Daniel Deno	35.80
Ellon Downes	8.10
Daisy Eddy, gravel	24.00
Clayton French	2.20
Elmer Grover	27.00
Harry Hanson, shovel	16.00
R. C. Hazelton Co., Inc.	376.95
Warren Hosmer	8.10
C. E. Harrington	7.25
Jones Express	3.30
Keller's General Store	114.68
Lloyd F. Little	696.25
MacAllisters Garage	36.36
Fred Merrill	64.80
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Inc.	68.93
Harlan Nelson	31.40
N. H. Explosive Co.	28.30
N. H. Welding Supply Co.	16.98
Ronald Palmer	66.10
Patten's Garage	4.60
Ray Road Equipment	206.90
Clarence Robinson	29.00
Gerald Roby	798.05
Earl Rowe	7.20
Anthony Sikel	356.60
Sutton General Store	66.17
Sears Roebuck and Co.	51.50
C. P. Stevens Co.	111.78
Andrew Thompson	10.00
Carroll Thompson	351.60

Phillip Thompson	119.70	
Town of New London	30.00	
Treas. State of New Hampshire	50.20	
Willard's General Store	341.40	
		$5,726.81
Overdraft		$364.38

Town Maintenance (Summer)

Appropriation	$3,000.00
Receipts	479.95
	$3,479.95

Payments:

Nelson M. Adams	$758.20
Allen Auto Wrecking, gas, oil, labor ($235.63 less credit on junk $17.96)	217.67
Charles L. Allen, gravel	16.50
N. P. Clough and Co., Inc., lumber	77.63
Daniel F. Deno, labor	268.95
Director of Internal Revenue, witholding	378.60
Francis Gallagher, labor	67.80
Hampshire Oil Co., oil	49.20
Fred G. Huntley, rake teeth	36.00
Harry Hanson, use of shovel	183.75
Warren E. Hosmer, labor	29.30
Warren E. Hosmer, gravel	6.10
Clayton F. Jones, labor	30.05
Joy Mfg. Co., sharpening drills	19.00
Keller's General Store, gas, oil, etc.	65.49
MacAllister's Garage, gas, oil, etc.	69.88
William E. Mason, labor	122.85
John Maxcy, gravel	14.60
Harlan E. Nelson, labor	549.49
Patten's Garage, repairs	192.81
Ray Road Equipment Co.	63.16
Richard Russell, labor	5.40
Mark Stearns, labor	14.40

Sutton General Store, gas, oil, supplies	245.95	
Phillip A. Thompson, labor	62.50	
Treas. State of N. H., oil	27.56	
Vernondale Store, gas, etc.	30.29	
Mamie Wells, sand	20.00	
Willard's General Store, gas, etc.	23.14	
		$3,646.27
Overdraft		$166.32

Detail of Receipts

Town Maintenance

Winter:	
John Powell ('51-'52)	$5.00
Herman Funke ('51-'52)	5.00
Francis Gallagher	5.00
Herbert Brewster	5.00
Frank Tucker	5.00
Anthony Sikel	5.00
Henry Mercer	5.00
Clarence Westall	5.00
Arthur Davis	5.00
Maude Clark	5.00
Edmund Dempsey	5.00
John Hedderig	5.00
John Powell	5.00
Evelyn Boynton	5.00
Earl Rowe	5.00
Herman Funke	5.00
William King	5.00
Raymond Keyser	5.00
Weston Chadwick	5.00
John Wolfe	5.00
Arthur Dorley	5.00
Luke Cheney	5.00
Daisy Eddy	5.00
Week's place	5.00
Muriel Stuart	5.00

Thomas Lowe	5.00	
Henry Palmer	5.00	
Edward Cassidy	5.00	
Robert Bristol	5.00	
Ethel Davis	5.00	
Gerald Roby	5.00	
Refund on gas tax	207.43	
	$362.43	$362.43

Summer:

Arthur Goodfriend	$33.90	
George Salo	22.50	
Earl Chadwick	4.00	
Dudley Coonley	108.00	
Tilton Const. Co.	5.00	
Highway Dep't.	10.00	
George French	2.00	
Warren Hosmer	2.50	
Robert Russell	6.00	
Weston Chadwick	5.00	
William Connor	15.00	
Margaret Swenson	65.75	
C. R. Hubbard	17.50	
School District	18.75	
Alfred Wilmot	2.50	
Frank Wise	21.25	
Chester Wright	61.80	
George Hosmer	2.50	
Champion International	76.00	
	$479.95	$479.95
		$842.38

DETAIL NO. 14

Duncan Fund

Allotment from State of N. H.		$2,250.60
Nelson M. Adams, labor	$445.65	
Emerson C. Bailey, labor	21.60	
Elmer Bartlett, gravel	5.40	
Norman Bentley, plank	108.00	
Earl P. Chadwick, labor	7.00	
Harry L. Chadwick, labor	39.00	
Richard S. Chadwick, labor	37.25	
N. P. Clough and Co., Inc., material	40.02	
Arthur E. Davis, labor	3.20	
Daniel F. Deno, labor	15.40	
Director of Internal Revenue, witholding tax	50.30	
Harry Hanson, shovel	140.00	
C. A. Harrington, sharpening tools	7.00	
Keller's General Store, gas, oil, etc.	16.06	
James MacAllister, labor	71.55	
William Mason, labor	98.95	
Mitchell Bros., gravel	17.60	
Harlan Nelson, labor	143.80	
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts	658.87	
Ronald S. Palmer, labor	31.90	
Earl Rowe, labor	11.00	
Sutton General Store, gas, oil, etc.	79.33	
Andrew L. Thompson, labor	18.00	
Phillip A. Thompson, labor	176.00	
Mamie Wells, sand	10.50	
		$2,253.38
Overdraft		$2.78

DETAIL NO. 15

Street Lighting

Appropriation		$1,275.00
Public Service Co. of N. H.	$1,360.74	
		$1,360.74
Overdraft		$85.74

DETAIL NO. 16

General Expenses of Highway Dpartment

Appropriation		$500.00
Nelson M. Adams, labor on wood	$6.25	
Robert S. Bristol, sawing wood	10.50	
Ronald Deno, labor on wood	4.50	
Jones Express	3.20	
Kearsarge Insurance Agency	347.83	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Inc.	2.46	
Merrimack Telephone	51.13	
Public Service Co. of N. H.	31.50	
Gerald C. Roby	2.95	
Sutton Mutual Fire Insurance Co.	16.00	
Sutton General Store, bulbs	1.08	
		$477.40
Balance		$22.60

DETAIL NO. 17

Library

Appropriation:		$383.00
Other sources, see report of Trustees		226.19
Payments:		
For Library Trustees	$404.06	
By Trustees	81.85	
		$485.91
Balance		$123.28

DETAIL NO. 18

Old Age Assistance

Appropriation		$2,700.00
Recovery (F. Hunt)		27.98
		$2,727.98
Payments:		
State of New Hampshire	$1,739.29	
		$1,739.29
Balance		$988.69

DETAIL NO. 19

Town Poor

Appropriation		$800.00
Payments:		
William E. Mason:		
W. P. Clough, Jr. (Stella)	$3.00	
Sutton General Store	79.98	
Willard General Store	100.12	
	$183.10	
Irene Pease:		
C. R. Bradford	$6.00	
W. P. Clough, Sr.	59.15	
W. B. Connor	5.00	
S. J. Felch	32.50	
Levi Presby	2.00	
Sutton General Store	5.00	
		$109.65
Wilson Perkins:		
W. P. Clough, Sr.	$24.20	
Levi Presby:		
Willard General Store	$40.44	
		$357.39
Balance		$442.61

DETAIL NO. 20

County Poor

To be reimbursed from County and City of Concord

Raymond Heath	$59.91	
Roy Jenkerson	275.40	
Clinton Perkins	196.23	
	$531.54	

DETAIL NO. 21

Patriotic Purposes

Appropriation Memorial Day		$100.00
Appropriation Soldiers' Aid		300.00
		$400.00
Payments:		
American Legion Post No. 40 (Memorial Day)	$100.00	
Soldiers' Aid, Town	579.02	
		$679.02
Overdraft		$279.02

DETAIL NO. 22

Recreation

Appropriation: Common		$20.00
Appropriation: Dartmouth Lake Sunapee Region		75.00
		$95.00
Payments:		
N. P. Clough and Co., Inc., rake	$1.94	
Dartmouth Lake Sunapee Region	75.00	
Warren E. Hosmer, common	35.00	
		$111.94
Overdraft		$16.94

DETAIL NO. 23

Cemeteries

Appropriation		$700.00
Payments:		
Collector of Internal Revenue	$5.60	
Cressy and Williams, repairs, lawn mower	22.95	
Harry L. Chadwick	8.00	
Gordon E. Davis, labor	9.00	
Sherman J. Felch, labor	26.75	
Warren E. Hosmer, labor	279.53	
Warren E. Hosmer, repairs, pump	2.00	
Everett W. Howe, labor	100.75	
Kearsarge Insurance Agency	3.65	
Lloyd F. Little, labor	5.00	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Inc., fertilizer	6.62	
Arthur Ordway	108.50	
Sutton General Store, paint, brushes, etc.	50.05	
		$628.40
Balance		$71.60

DETAIL NO. 24

Unclassified

Payments		
Advance to Trustees of Trust Funds	$434.00	
George A. French, advance on Timber Tax	30.40	
Ira S. Littlefield, surveying	10.00	
Taxes bought by Town	666.25	
Interest on same	26.66	
Costs of tax sale	53.78	
Wood	204.70	
		$1,425.79

DETAIL NO. 25

Interest

Appropriation		$200.00
Interest Received		179.29
Katherine Hazen, Interest on Church Fund	$32.00	
Addie P. Nelson, Interest on Church Fund	44.00	
Arthur E. Davis, Interest on Church Fund	44.00	
Sutton School District, Interest on School Fund	90.00	
Citizens' National Bank, Interest on Temporary Loans	136.68	
Clifford W. Ayer, Interest on Fisher Fund	84.68	
		$431.36
Overdraft		$52.07

DETAIL NO. 26

Town Road Aid

Appropriation		$1,046.95
Reimbursement from State of N. H.		1,892.03
		$2,938.98
Payments:		
Nelson M. Adams, labor	$332.45	
Charles L. Allen, gasoline, etc.	8.44	
Richard Chadwick, labor	105.80	
Director of Internal Revenue	79.30	
Warren E. Hosmer	22.07	
Everett W. Howe, labor	14.50	
Donald Keller, labor	54.00	
James B. MacAllister, labor	195.20	
Willliam E. Mason, Sr., labor	165.80	
Treasurer, State of N. H.	1,046.95	

Harlan C. Nelson, labor	235.60	
Henry Palmer, labor	25.10	
Gerald C. Roby, labor	108.55	
Richard Russell, labor	17.10	
Sutton General Store, gas, oil, etc.	115.97	
Tilton Construction Co., shovel	249.10	
Phillip A. Thompson	8.42	
Vernondale Store, gas, oil, etc.	129.04	
George V. West, labor	16.10	
		$2,929.49
Overpaid by State		$9.49

DETAIL NO. 27

Repairs to Town Hall

Appropriation		$200.00
Payments:		
George Heath, repairs to roof	$65.00	
Ervin Patten, repairs to furnace	115.95	
		$180.95
Balance		19.05

DETAIL NO. 28

Other Governmental Divisions

Payments:		
Donald G. Rainie, County tax	$4,508.65	
Treasurer, State of N. H., head taxes	2,073.99	
School District	23,508.91	
		$30,091.55

DETAIL NO. 29

Indebtedness

Payments:		
Citizens National Bank	$15,000.00	
Clifford W. Ayer, Trustee, Fisher Fund	2,822.81	
		$17,822.81

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

	Amount Raised	Receipts	Expended	Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers' Salaries	$1,350.00	.....	$1635.90	.....	$ 285.90
Town Officers' Expenses	900.00	.....	1,029.38	.....	129.38
Election and Registration	250.00	10.00	255.77	4.23	.....
Town Hall	300.00	.....	426.45	.....	126.45
Police Department	100.00	3.00	87.09	15.91	.....
Fire Department $500.00, Hose $220.00	720.00	250.88	1,075.03	.....	104.15
Blister Rust	400.00	.15	400.00	.15	.....
Health Department	20.00	.....	.....	20.00	.....
Dump	180.00	.....	180.00	.....	.....
New London Hospital	400.00	.....	400.00	.....	.....
Vital Statistics	20.00	.....	14.50	5.50	.....
Town Road Aid	1,046.95	1,892.03	2,929.49	9.49	.....
Town Maintenance:					
Winter	5,000.00	362.43	5,726.81	.....	364.38
Summer	3,000.00	479.95	3,646.27	.....	166.32
Street Lighting	1,275.00	.....	1,360.74	.....	85.74
General Expenses, Highway Department	500.00	.....	477.40	22.60	.....
Water Holes	100.00	.....	.....	100.00	.....
Library	383.00	226.19	404.06	205.13	.....
Old Age Assistance	2,700.00	27.98	1,739.29	988.69	.....
Town Poor	800.00	.....	357.39	442.61	.....
Soldiers' Aid, Memorial Day	400.00	.....	679.02	.....	279.02
Common	20.00	.....	36.94	.....	16.94
Dartmouth, Lake Sunapee Region	75.00	.....	75.00	.....	.....
Interest	200.00	179.29	431.36	.....	52.07
Cemeteries	700.00	.....	628.40	71.60	.....
Civilian Defense	200.00	.....	.....	200.00	.....
	$21,039.95	$3,431.90	$23,996.29	$2,085.91	$1,610.35

Net Balance of Appropriations $475.56

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF THE SUTTON FREE LIBRARY

Receipts

Balance Town Treasury (January 1, 1952)	$3.31	
Cash on hand (January 1, 1952)	102.38	
1952 Appropriation	383.00	
1952 Interest from Trust Funds	112.50	
Refund Curtis Co.	8.00	
		$609.19

Expenditures

Librarian:		$125.00
Mrs. Fannie Greene	$125.00	
Books and Magazines:		
Personal Bookshop, Inc.	63.28	
Holiday	7.50	
National Baseball Cong.	1.21	
National Geographic Soc.	5.25	
Popular Mechanics	3.50	
		$80.74
Maintenance		
Warren E. Hosmer	$50.00	
New London Fuel Co.	95.90	
Pub. Service Co. of N. H.	57.87	
George Heath, roof rep.	4.00	
Charles Sanborn	21.80	

Maude T. Clark (bulbs)	.60		
		$230.17	
Insurance			
Sinking Fund, Savings,	$50.00		
		$50.00	
Total Expenses			$485.91
In Town Treasury to balance			$123.28

REPORT OF THE BUILDING FUND OF SUTTON FREE LIBRARY

Sugar River Savings Bank, Newport, New Hampshire

January 1, 1952	$376.36
Deposit, Insurance Fund	50.00
Interest, 1952	12.50
Balance December 31, 1952	$438.86

Respectfully submitted,

Robert S. Bristol,

Treasurer of Library Trustees.

LIBRABRIAN'S REPORT

Adults bought	29	
Juvenile bought	1	
		30
Books loaned from Mobile	170	
Books given, adult	2	
Books given, juvenile	1	
Magazines bought	3	
Magazines donated	4	
Books loaned out, adult	1,350	
Books loaned out, juvenile	425	
Magazines loaned	551	
Books in circulation	5,600	
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1952	$33.78	
Received from dues	3.84	
Received from books sold	.35	
		$4.19
Supplies, postage, etc.		2.75
		$1.44
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1953		$35.22

Fannie I. Greene, Librarian

ADULT BOOKS BOUGHT IN 1952

My Cousin Rachel	Maurier Daphne
The Intriguer	Parker Maude
The Little Princess	Crawford Marion
Hearth in the Snow	Buchan in the Snow
The Crown of Glory	Turnbull Agnes Sligh
The Daughter of Time	Tey Josephine
Mrs. Mc'Gintys Dead	Christie Agathy
Children of the Archbishop	Nolman Collins
Hold Back the Night	Frank Pat
The Host Rock	Donner Mary Francis
Faraway the Spring	Hagonian Richard
A Client is Canceled	Lockridge Fichard & Francis
Brave Interval	Yates Elizabeth
The House in Between	Spring Howard
Upside Down in the Magnolia Tree	Bandcroft Mary
When Dog Meets People	Taber Gladys
To Heaven on Horseback	Cranston Paul
Neither Five nor Three	Mac'Innes Helen
The Shinning Tides	Brooks Winn
The Presidents Lady	Stone Erving
The Foundling	Spellman Francis
Giant	Ferber Edna
The Silver Chalice	Costain Thomas B
The Distant Shore	Han De Hartog
Many Mansions	Bolton Isabell
The Crooked House	Christine Agarthy
The Far Country	Shute Nevil
The Steamboat Gothic	Keyes

JUVENILE

Drummer of Vinceannes	Sentman Armor George

REPORT OF THE SUTTON PLANNING BOARD

At a meeting held in July it was voted to clean out water holes, but because of no available help this work has not been completed to date. It was also voted to construct an approach at Russell's Pond to accommodate a fire truck, it is hoped that this project will be completed during this summer.

At a meeting held on February 10th. 1953, it was voted to request an item of $300.00 be inserted in the budget for the purpose of cleaning out and repairing the water basin which supplies the hydrant at the library. Last summer temporary work was done on it, but now, it requires major repairs on the dam, a new gate and the cleaning out of an accumulation of rocks, sand and other debris which may require the hiring of equipment to do this work.

Some research work has been done on the project of having some sort of vegetation around the millwood cemetery and it is hoped that this can be realized this summer.

Lack of funds has prevented making any extended plans other than immediate needs.

JOHN R. POWELL
ADA L. LITTLE
ELIZABETH COONLEY
HAROLD D. HURD
GEORGE H. HOSMER
WILLIAM B. CONNOR
ELIOT B. FOOT

REPORT OF SUTTON CIVIL DEFENSE

Your local Civil Defense wishes to report that it is in full compliance with the regulations set up by the State Civil Defense Agency for small Communities in time of National, State and Local Emergencies. It will endeavor to increase its personel and its training program in the following year so that it will be prepared at all times.

It gives me a great deal of pleasure to report that none of the money alloted for this program was expended during the current year. However, I sincerely recommend that this money be appropriated again this year and held in escrow in the event of an emergency and in the event that some equipment be necessary with which to operate more efficiently.

Respectfully Submitted,
Capt. Stanley Chapman,
Local Civil Defense Director,
Sutton, New Hampshire

BLAISDELL LAKE PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

An organization incorporated under the Laws of New Hampshire, with a membership of over 90% of the residents and non-residents owning property bordering the shores of Blaisdell Lake, having as its primary purpose to improve, protect and promote the general welfare of the Lake and surrounding area, voted at its second annual meeting, held on July 26, 1952, to raise the sum of $1,000 (one thousand dollars) to repair the leak in the dam at the outlet of Blaisdell Lake.

The following non-members made contributions totaling $102:

The Curries
Alice Danforth
Dr. Farrington
Beth Rowe — John Willey
Mrs. Ashley Spaulding
Mrs. Jean West
Mr. and Mrs. James A. Rawson (Camp Wabasso)

Assessments totaling $958.54 were levied against the following members:

Atwood, Alice & Helen
Bagaty, Floyd
Bailey, Richard
Barbato, Helen
Barlow, Richard
Bigelow, L. Waldo, Jr.
Blaisdell, Norman
Boutwell, Llewellyn
Blake, Mason (Ela, L. J. heirs)
Blodgett, Randolph & Florence
Brook, Paige (Mishe-Makow)
Caldwell, Eugene
Coonley, Dudley & Elizabeth
Coonley, Cynthia
Cutter, Ruth
Darrah, Ella
Hearne, John
Heavey, Madeline
Hosmer, George
Hubbard, George
Ingraham, Robert
Jordan, Herbert
Killam, Dorothy
Lane, Stanley
Little, Earl H.
Lovett, John
McPherson, Paul
Mullen, Edward
Rooney, Estelle
Soboll, John

Draper, Harold
Edwards, Helen
Ellsworth, Louise
Elmer, Margaret
Forster, Herman
Groh, Mary E. & George M.
Golthwaite & Cragin
Goodfriend, Arthur
Hall, Dawson
Hull, Lillis (Camp Blaisdell)
Longley, Walter (Camp KEMAH)
Thayer, Lewis
Vietz, Albin
Wadleigh, Wilford
Winslow, Edgar
Wise, Frank
Woodward, Perley
Wright, Chester
Wright, Robert

A committee consisting of the President, Chairman of the Board of Directors and Russell J. Ellsworth had charge of repairing the dam. Mr. Ellsworth was appointed to draft specifications, employ a contractor and supervise the repair operations. This project was completed in October, approved by the Water Resources Board of the State of New Hampshire and title to the water rights and dam at the outlet of Blaisdell Lake have been transferred by deed from the stockholders of the Kearsarge Reservoir to the Blaisdell Lake Property Owners Association, Inc.

A program of planned recreation for the young people of the area including permanent and summer residents was successfully carried out under the supervision of Mrs. Dudley Coonley, Chairman of the Activities Committee.

Officers:

President, Arthur Goodfriend
Vice President, Robert Wright
Treasurer, Llewellyn Boutwell
Clerk, Estelle Rooney

Board of Directors:
Ruth Cutter
Mrs. Richard Barlow
Lewis Thayer
Russell Ellsworth
Chairman, Earl Little
John Soboll
George Groh
Charlotte Fenstermacher
Randolph Blodgett

Respectfully submitted,
Estelle W. Rooney, Clerk

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS

of the

TOWN OF SUTTON

For Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1952

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

January 28, 1953.

ALICE C. DAVIS,
CLIFFORD W. AYER,
CARL G. WELLS,

Trustees.

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Sutton on December 31, 1952

Date of Creation	Trust Funds Purpose of Creation Name of Fund and Donor	How Funds are Invested	Amount of Principal	Bal. of Income on hand at beginning of Year	Rate of Interest	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. of Income on Hand at End of Year
1909	Mary Eaton School Fund	Loan and Trust Savings Bank	150 00	51 24	2½	2 51		53 75
1909	Mary Wadleigh Lot Fund	Loan and Trust Savings Bank	49 00	48	2½	1 26	1 00	74
1909	Betsy Eaton Lot Fund	Loan and Trust Savings Bank	100 00	6 40	2½	2 68	2 00	7 08
1909	Ruth Stinson Lot Fund	Loan and Trust Savings Bank	100 00	2 05	2½	2 60	3 00	1 65
1910	Ruth Stinson Yard Fund	Loan and Trust Savings Bank	200 00	32	2½	5 11	5 00	43
1910	Emma Abbott Lot Fund	Loan and Trust Savings Bank	50 00	3 22	2½	1 32	2 00	2 54
1912	David Johnson Lot Fund	Loan and Trust Savings Bank	50 00	60	2½	1 29	1 00	89
1914	Charles Kohlrausch Lot Fund	Loan and Trust Savings Bank	200 00	11 82	2½	5 41	6 50	10 73
1918	John M. Pressy Library Fund	Loan and Trust Savings Bank	1000 00	1 26	2½	25 51	25 00	1 77
1914	P. S. H. Wadleigh Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	70 00	5 11	3	3 44	1 50	7 05
1916	Orin Nelson Worthy Poor Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	947 92	117 63	3	48 26	10 00	155 89
1916	Orin Nelson Library Fund	United States Savings Bonds	1000 00		2½	25 00	25 00	
1918	John M. Pressey Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	300 00	5 31	3	14 25	10 00	9 56
1922	Frank J. Pillsbury Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100 00	3 10	3	4 83	4 00	3 93
1923	Sarah Russell Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100 00	2 97	3	4 74	3 00	4 71
1923	Henry Peaslee Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	50 00	47	3	2 34	1 00	1 81
1924	Mary Pressey Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	200 00	2 937	3	9 41	5 00	7 34
1924	Sarah Johnson Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	95 00	2 68	3	4 50	2 00	5 18
1925	Mrs. Francis Ferry Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100 00	2 36	3	4 73	3 00	4 09

1925	Bertha Elkins Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100 00	1 94	3	4 73	2 50	4 17
1926	Arthur K. Rix Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	250 00	14 71	3	12 09	4 00	22 80
1929	John Pressey Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	50 00	1 85	3	2 39	2 00	2 24
1928	Little & Bean Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	300 00	2 91	3	14 13	7 00	10 04
1928	Stephen Woodward Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	50 00	* 05	3	2 30		2 25
1928	George C. Pillsbury Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100 00	1 98	3	4 76	3 50	3 24
1930	Arthur & Arlettie Merrill Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100 00		3	4 49		4 49
1930	John & Jeannette Eaton Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	75 00	1 99	3	3 56	1 00	4 55
1930	John Eaton School Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	500 00	106 86	3	27 56		134 42
1930	Ellen A. W. Hoyt Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100 00	7 55	3	4 95	2 50	10 00
1930	Mathew H. Kohlrausch Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	150 00	3 52	3	7 14	4 50	6 16
1931	Leonard F. E. Dresser Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	150 00	7 56	3	7 20	2 00	12 76
1932	Abbie M. Dillingham Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	75 00	99	3	3 51	1 00	3 50
1932	S. E. Richards & Betsy Colby L. F.	New Hampshire Savings Bank	150 00	3 33	3	7 11	3 50	6 94
1933	Fred Pratt Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100 00	2 18	3	4 73	3 00	3 91
1934	Fred Felch Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	200 00	9 15	3	9 68	6 50	12 33
1934	Eva Nelson Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	200 00	10 77	3	9 65	3 00	17 42
1935	Horace Chadwick Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	200 00	10 02	3	9 72	6 50	13 24
1935	Moses Blaisdell Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100 00	2 57	3	4 76	3 00	4 33
1935	Sarah Davis Lot Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100 00	2 45	3	4 76	3 00	4 21
1937	Frances Chadwick Lot Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	200 00	15 95	3	6 52	6 50	15 97
1937	Mabel Howlett Lot Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	100 00	2 55	3	3 09	3 00	2 64
1938	Emma Loud Lot Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	50 00	1 80	3	1 55	1 50	1 85
1939	Fred Fisher Lot Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	500 00	92 11	3	17 88	11 00	98 99
1941	Stephen & Helen Huse Lot Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	300 00	22 36	3	9 74	3 50	28 60
1942	James & Mary Knowlton Lot Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	100 00	4 62	3	3 15	5 00	2 77
1942	Lewis Carroll Richards Lot Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	300 00	5 09	3	9 22	10 00	4 31
1943	Lewis Carroll Richards Yard Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	300 00	1 40	3	9 10	8 00	2 50
1943	Lewis Carroll Richards Lib. Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	300 00	2 20	3	9 12		11 32

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1944	F. E. Nelson Town of Sutton	Sugar River Savings Bank	5000 00	4 75	3	151 25	150 00	6 00
1944	F. E. Nelson Town of Sutton	United States Savings Bonds	2500 00		2½	62 50	62 50	
1944	F. E. Nelson Cemetery Fund	Loan and Trust Savings Bank	2000 00	60	2½	51 14	50 00	1 74
1944	F. E. Nelson Town of Sutton	Loan and Trust Savings Bank	2500 00	49 55	2½	64 77	50 00	64 32
1942	Frank S. Jordan Lot Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	100 00	6 94	3	3 21	2 00	8 15
1944	Edwin Wright Lot Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	200 00	4 59	3	6 17	6 50	4 26
1945	J. L. Andrews Lot Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	100 00	5 75	3	3 19	5 00	3 94
1946	Asa Nelson Todd Lot Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	100 00	4 57	3	3 15	4 50	3 22
1946	Benjamin K. Coburn Lot Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	300 00	22 24	3	9 74	11 00	20 98
1947	Herbert L. Pillsbury Lot Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	200 00	14 47	3	6 47	8 00	12 94
1947	Sutton Central School Bld'g Fund	Loan and Trust Savings Bank	3163 82	265 53	2½	86 26		351 79
1948	John Mackintosh Lot Fund	Loan and Trust Savings Bank	150 00	2 08	2½	3 92	4 00	2 00
1948	Georgianna Nelson Lot Fund	Loan and Trust Savings Bank	50 00	1 30	2½	1 30	2 00	60
1949	Fred Roby Lot Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	100 00	7 45	3	3 25	3 00	7 70
1949	Albert E. Chadwick Lot Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	100 00	2 34	3	3 08	3 00	2 42
1950	John Sargent Lot Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	100 00	2 59	3	3 09		5 68
1950	Charlotte & George Wheeler L. F.	Sugar River Savings Bank	100 00	2 59	3	3 09	3 00	2 68
1951	Frank Fisher,, Yard Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	2822 81	105 86	3	87 06		192 92

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1952	Richard Hall Lot Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	100 00		3			
1952	Sutton S. D., Cap. Reserve Fund	Sugar River Savings Bank	1500 00		3			

* $0.05 added to principal in 1952; overdrawn in 1951. Grand Total of Principal, $31,248.55

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Members of the School Board of Sutton District

During the year 1951-1952 the following teachers were employed:

School	Teacher	Training	Yr. Grad.
South School	Mr. Walter P. Bucklin, Grs. 7-8	K. T. C.	1950
North School	Mrs. Lorraine Cadoo, Grs. 4-5-6	T. A.	1918
Mills School	Mrs. Blanche E. Robinson, Grs. 1-2-3	P. N. S.	1936
	Miss Blanche C. Bailey, Music	K. T. C.	1932

GENERAL STATISTICS

	South	North	Mills	Total 1951-1952	Total 1950-1951
Half days in session	350	350	350	350	360
Half days not in session	10	10	10	10	14
No. pupils registered	15	27	35	77	80
Ave. membership	14.02	25.43	30.54	70.69	71.89
Percent attendance	93.18	93.00	93.35	93.2	93.40
Ave. tardinesses per pupil	1	.11	.25	.45	.29
Number visits, Superintendent	16	20	23	59	64
No. visits, school board members	0	6	4	10	28
No. visits, citizens	2	10	60	72	62

46 pupils attended schools in other districts.

GRADUATES

June, 1952

Olga May Buck
Luke Turner Cheney
Marlene Rita Herseyy
Patricia Ann Hurd
Howard Mitchell
Wayne Vincent Wheeler

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

For one year

Helen Partridge

The Sutton Building Committee, under the able leadership of Mr. Eliot B. Foot, has been putting in a lot of hard work so that they may be able to present a building program at the Annual School Meeting in March. They have been saved much work because thorough preliminary work was done by the previous Committee and I know that the present Committee appreciate what the previous Committee has done.

I have always felt that the one main reason why the building was not voted several years ago, and that was the feeling that was built up in the community, that some one was going to come along and provide the money like some good fairy godmother. Now, I think we all realize the fact that if we are going to have a building we are going to have to pay for it ourselves. I think this is a good thing. We are not getting anything from the Federal Government free.

I think there are three questions which a person should ask himself before he votes for or against the new building.

1. Do we need the new school or are the old buildings satisfactory?

2. Is the new building the kind of a building we want? Does it meet our needs without putting in expensive extras that we do not need and possibly cannot afford?

3. Can we afford a bond issue of approximately $50,000.00 which is the approximate cost of the type building the present Committee is planning?

I must say that the present buildings are entirely inadequate and should have been replaced years ago. They are poorly lighted and poorly heated and are poor from an educational point of view, as well as health. I do not believe they are buildings of which the town can be very proud.

In answer to the second question, one of the first things the Committee decided, was to build a building which would house the children in a satisfactory manner and yet do away with expensive items which are nice to have but are not necessary to give the children good elementary education. It is nice to have gymnasiums in elementary buildings but I believe that the children will have just as much fun playing basketball in the town hall, and certainly they will get as much exercise.

As to whether we can afford the building, I think that is up to each individual. It has been estimated that it would effect the tax rate about $3.25 a thousand. If the average assessment is two thousand dollars, it means that the average tax payer will have to pay $6.50 a year to have a new school. In terms of what the average person spends on cigarettes, candy and other such items (products of distillation) it seems like a very small amount to pay to provide our children with a happy, healthy school environment.

In addition, I might point out a good school will tend to attract people to a community. Many, before they purchase property, will investigate the schools. If they find that the schools are poor, they will look somewhere else for a place to buy.

The teachers have been doing good work under very trying conditions.

Let me close by giving the following quotation. "When the people of New Hampshire are given the facts, they will make the right decision." The Building Committee has worked very hard to get the facts and I feel sure that the people of Sutton School District will make the right decision. Good luck to you!

William C. Sterling,
Superintendent of Schools.

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year July 1, 1951 to June 30, 1952

Cash on hand July 1, 1951 (Treas. Bank Balance	$1,958.93
Received from Selectmen	26,908.91
Received from State Treasurer, (Hot lunches)	205.02
Received from Trust Funds	90.00
Received from all other sources	8.49
Total Receipts	$29,171.35
Less School Boards orders paid	27,573.03
Balance on hand June 30, 1952	$1,598.32
Liability (Architect fee)	1,500.00
Balance June 30, 1952	$98.32

Respectfully Submitted,
Clifford W. Ayer,
School Treasurer

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

Federal Aid:	
National School Lunch	
Received from State Treasurer	$205.02
Local Taxation:	
Current Appropriation, Town	26,908.91
Othes Sources:	
Trust Funds, Town	90.00
Void check	8.49
Total receipts, all sources	$27,212.42
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1951	1,958.93
Grand total	$29,171.35

BALANCE SHEET

Assets:	
Cash on hand, June 30, 1952	$1,598.32
Total assets	1,598.32
Grand total	1,598.32
Liabilities:	
Amount received for special purposes	$1,500.00
Total liabilities	1,500.00
Surplus (excess of assets over liabilities)	98.32
Grand total	$1,598.32
Balance June 30, 1952	$98.32

NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION — CONCORD

BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF SUTTON, N. H., 1953-'54

EXPENDITURES	1 EXPENDITURES 1951-52	2 ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES 1952-53	3 ADOPTED BUDGET 1953-54
Administration:			
Salaries of district officers	$306.00	$260.00	$260.00
Superintendent's salary (local share)	380.39	380.39	397.75
Tax for state wide supervision	244.00	244.00	248.00
Salaries of other administrative personnel	188.04	176.61	200.45
Supplies and expenses	59.55	150.00	150.00
Instruction:			
Elementary teachers' and principals' salaries	8,297.25	8,600.00	8,600.00
Books and other instructional aids, elem.	119.34	150.00	150.00
Scholars' supplies, elem.	435.38	300.00	300.00
Supplies and other expenses, elem.	48.70	50.00	50.00

Operation of School Plant:			
Salaries of janitors, elem.	525.00	525.00	525.00
Fuel or heat, elem.	381.43	400.00	400.00
Water, light, supplies and expenses, elem.	223.20	150.00	200.00
Maintenance of School Plant:			
Repairs and replacements, elem.	391.48	500.00	500.00
Auxiliary Activities			
Health supervision, elem.	328.00	350.00	350.00
Transportation, high	1,642.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
Transportation, elem.	4,160.00	4,420.00	4,420.00
Tuition, high	7,779.32	8,900.00	8,900.00
Tuition, elem.	702.76	650.00	700.00
Special activities and special funds, elem.	66.17		
School lunch, elem. (fed. and dist. funds only)	505.02	550.00	550.00
Fixed Charges:			
Retirement, elem.	552.22	590.00	590.00
Insurance, treas. bonds and expenses, elem.	60.60	25.00	100.00
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENSES	$27,395.85	$29,171.00	$29,391.20

EXPENDITURES	1 EXPENDITURES 1951-52	2 ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES 1952-53	3 ADOPTED BUDGET 1953-54
Total Current Expenses (Brought forward)	$27,395.85	$29,171.00	$29,391.20
Capital Outlay			
Additions and improvements, elem.	$177.18		
Payments in Capital Reserve Fund		1,500.00	5,000.00
Total Capital Outlay		1,500.00	5,000.00
Debt and Interest:			
Principal of debt			3,500.00
Interest on debt			1,300.00
Total Debt and Interest			4,800.00
Deficiency Appropriation:			
TOTAL 1951-52 EXPENDITURES	$27,573.03		
ESTIMATED TOTAL 1952-53 EXPENDITURES		30,671.00	
TOTAL 1953-54 SCHOOL APPROPRIATION			34,141.20
BALANCE (actual or estimated)	1,598.32		
TOTAL	$29,171.35	$30,671.00	$39,191.20

RECEIPTS	1 RECEIPTS 1951-52	2 ESTIMATED RECEIPTS 1952-53	3 ADOPTED BUDGET 1953-54
Balance (actual or estimated)	$1,958.93		
Federal Aid	205.02	$250.00	$250.00
Trust Funds	90.00	90.00	90.00
Other	8.49		
TOTAL REC. OTHER THAN PROP. TAXES	2,262.44	340.00	340.00
DISTRICT ASSESSMENT	26,908.91	30,331.00	38,851.20
TOTAL 1951-52 RECEIPTS	$29,171.35		
ESTIMATED TOTAL 1952-53 RECEIPTS		$30,671.00	
TOTAL 1953-54 APPROPRIATION VOTED BY DISTRICT			$39,191.20

Special Appropriation to be financed by bonds, notes, and|or capital reserve funds: $52,000.00 New Elementary School; $5,000.00 Capital Reserve to repair existing buildings.

February 16, 1953.

RALPH J. WHIPPLE, *School Board Chairman*
W. C. STERLING, *Superintendent of Schools*

ANNUAL SCHOOL HEALTH REPORT

SUTTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE

1951 - 1952

The school health department gives the following report:

Number of pupils inspected 60

Defects		Treatment	Corrections
Teeth	41		22
Tonsils	3		4
Glands	4	1	
Vision	6		3

Individual Inspections	302
First Aid Treatment	15

Special Work

T. B. Patch Test, 78	Welfare Cases, 2
Transported for vision corrections	1
Transported to New London Hospital	1

Communicable Diseases

Measles	17
Pediculosis	7
Impetigo	3
Total number of exclusions	27

The Hot Lunch Program has helped a great deal to keep our children well. The school health department would like to thank all who have made this program possible.

Ruth B. Whitcomb, R. N.
School Nurse

SUTTON SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district of Sutton qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the seventh day of March, 1953 at 8:00 o'clock in the evening to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.
9. To see what sum of money the District will vote to raise and appropriate to provide High School transportation.
10. To elect a building committee to serve from the date of meeting to the completion of the project.

11. To Authorize the School Board to acquire by purchase or by right eminent domain such additional land as may be necessary, or desirable for the site of the new building.

12. To authorize the construction and equipment of a new elementary school building.

13. To appropriate a sum of money not exceeding fifty-eight thousand dollars ($58,000.00) for the construction and equipment of a new elementary school building, and to determine the amount to be raised by taxation during the current year.

14. To authorize the issue of serial notes or bonds in the amount not exceeding fifty-two thousand dollars ($52,000.00) for the purposes specified in the previous article, and to authorize and empower the school board to determine the time and place of payment and the rate of interest on such notes or bonds, to provide for the sale thereto and to do any and all such acts as they may deem necessary to the issuance thereof, in accordance with the Provisions of the Municipal Bond Statute, N. H. Revised Laws, Chapter 72, and any amendments thereto.

15. To authorize the use to the CapitalReserve Fund previously created by the vote of the district, and any and all funds heretofor designated for school planning and construction purposes, and to instruct the Trustees of Trust Funds to pay over to the School Board such funds on their request.

16. To authorize the School Board, acting on the advice of the Building Committee, to enter into all contracts for the construction and equipment of the new elementary school building.

17. To authorize the School Board to sell or dispose of the old School Buildings.

18. To see what sum of money, not to exceed one tenth of 1% of the assessed valuation, the School District will vote for payment into a Capital Reserve fund for the purpose of making such repairs and replacements to existing school buildings as may be necessary. This article to be considered in the event that above articles pertaining to the construction of a new building are not voted.

19. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Sutton this 20th day of February, 1953.

RALPH WHIPPLE
GEORGE G. WELLS
MARGUERITE ROWE

School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

RALPH WHIPPLE
GEORGE G. WELLS
MARGUERITE ROWE

School Board

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

I. *Administration*:	
1. Salary of District Officers	$306.00
2. Superintendent's Salary (local share)	380.39
3. Tax for State Wide Supervision	244.00
4. Expenses of Administration	188.04
5. Supplies and Expenses	59.55
II. *Instruction*:	
6. Teachers Salaries (Elementary)	8,297.25
7. Books and other Instructional Aids	119.34
8. Scholars Supplies	435.38
10. Supplies and other Expenses	48.70
III. *Operation of School Plant*:	
11. Salaries of Janitors	525.00
12. Fuel or Heat	381.43
13. Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses	223.20
IV. *Maintenance of School Plant*:	
14. Repairs and Replacements	391.48
V. *Auxiliary Activities*:	
15. Health Supervision	328.00
16. Transportation:—	
(a) Elementary	4,160.00
(b) High	1,642.00
17. Tuition:—	
(a) Elementary	702.76
(b) High	7,779.32
18. Special Activities (School Lunch, etc.)	571.19
VI. *Fixed Charges*:	
19. Retirement	552.22
20. Insurance	60.60
VII. *Capital Outlay*:	
22. Additions and Improvements	177.18
Total Payments for All Purposes	$27,573.03

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Administration:

DETAIL NO. 1

Salaries of District Officers

Clifford W. Ayer, board member and clerk	$78.00
George G. Wells, board member	75.00
Ralph J. Whipple, board member	125.00
Marguerite Rowe, treasurer	25.00
George H. Hosmer, auditor	3.00
	$306.00

DETAIL NO. 2

Superintendent's Excess Salary

Superintendent's Excess Salary (local share)	$380.39
	$380.39

DETAIL NO. 3

Tax for Statewide Supervision

Per Capita Tax	$298.00
	$298.00

DETAIL NO. 4

Expenses of Administration

Bernice Ayer, (Truant Officer and School Census)	$25.00
Supervisory Union No. 26	163.04
	$188.04

DETAIL NO. 5

Supplies and Expenses

Citizens National Bank	$3.63
W. C. Sterling	27.40
Edson C. Eastman Co.	1.67
Marguerite Rowe, postage	17.50
Bank service charge	9.35
	$59.55

DETAIL NO. 6

Teachers' Salaries

Walter Bucklin	$2,052.73
Lorraine Cadoo	1,858.40
Blanche Robinson	1,928.60
Supervisory Union No. 26, Blanche Bailey Salary	425.00
N. H. Vt. Hospitalization Service (Cadoo)	50.40
Collector of Internal Revenue	1,304.00
Teachers Retirement Board	509.12
Washington National Insurance Co.	105.00
L. V. Cleveland, substitute	10.00
Alice Harris, substitute	10.00
Grace Lowe, substitute	20.00
Josephine Bigelow, substitute	10.00
Martha Wells, substitute	10.00
Norma Little, substitute	4.00
	$8,297.25

DETAIL NO. 7

Books and Other Instructional Aids

American Education Press	$9.60
Iroquois Publishing Co.	5.47
Houghton Mifflin Co.	24.43
Ginn & Co.	6.63
Scott, Foresman Co.	50.62
L. W. Singer Co., Inc.	22.59
	$119.34

DETAIL NO. 8

Scholars' Supplies

Benton Review Publishing Co.	$2.67
McCormick Mathers Publishing Co.	26.59
J. T. Hammett Co.	107.93
E. M. Hale Co.	4.50
Scott Foresman & Co.	58.48
Webster Publishing Co.	33.72

News Map of the Week	15.00
Hectograph Corp.	9.75
Phillips Paper Co.	8.84
American Education Press	14.50
Ginn & Co.	2.15
Edward E. Babb Co.	4.20
Laidlow Bros.	4.88
World Book Co	6.08
California Test Bureau	4.28
Warner Dowling Co.	56.64
American Book Co.	.48
E. M. Hale & Co.	4.05
Gledhill Bros., Inc.	18.54
Mainco Treding Co.	27.14
Milton Bradley Co.	11.24
Henry S. Wolkins Co.	13.72
	$435.38

DETAIL NO. 10

Supplies and Other Expenses

J. L. Hammett Co.	$32.16
Edward E. Babb Co.	16.54
	$48.70

DETAIL NO. 11

Salaries of Janitors

Lorna Couch (two schools)	$350.00
George French	175.00
	$525.00

DETAIL NO. 12

Fuel or Heat

Robert Partridge	$19.00
Phillip Thompson	5.00
Levi Presby	5.00

Willard's General Store	5.73
Walter Couch	4.70
Harold W. Chadwick	342.00
	$381.43

DETAIL NO. 13

Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses

Vernondale Store	$8.68
Public Service Co. of N. H.	82.22
Lorna Couch	16.50
Herman Keller	7.04
Waxine Book Co.	9.15
H. J. Follansbee	32.50
The Halmerden Co.	43.58
Cascade Paper Co.	23.53
	$223.20

DETAIL NO. 14

Repairs and Replacements

D. G. Cressey Co.	$10.70
Merrimack Farmers Exc., Inc.	58.90
N. P. Clough & Co., Inc. &	40.60
C. W. Ayer	114.85
John Seymour	6.00
J. T. Hammett Co.	16.40
Willard's General Store	12.93
Vernondale Store	2.97
Frank Williams	128.13
	$391.48

DETAIL NO. 15

Health Supervision

Supervisory Union No. 26	
Salary, Ruth Whitcomb, R. N.	$328.00
	$328.00

DETAIL NO. 16

Transportation

(a) Elementary	
Carlton Bradford	$321.00
Wm. B. Connor	450.00
Sawyer & Howlett	500.00
	$4,160.00
(b) High School	
Carlton Bradford	$1,200.00
Madeline Hurd	442.00
	$1,642.00

DETAIL NO. 17

(a) Elementary	
New London School District	$402.76
Warner School District, Alfred S. Cloues, Treas.	300.00
	$702.76
(b) High School	
New London School District	$6,090.99
Warner School District, Alfred A. Cloues, Treas.	1,463.33
Penacook School District	225.00
	$7,779.32

DETAIL NO. 18

Special Activities and Special Funds

Ralph J. Whipple, Treas. P. T. A.	$505.02
Carlton R. Bradford	7.50
Cardigan Sport Store	
Bradford Womans Club	49.22
Cardigan Sport Store	1.45
New London Florist	8.00
	$571.19

DETAIL NO. 19

Retirement

N. H. Teachers Retirement Board	$552.22

DETAIL NO. 20

Insurance

Sutton Mutual Fire Insurance Co.	$60.60
	$60.60

DETAIL NO. 22

Additions and Improvements

Edward Cassidy	$50.00
N. P. Clough & Co., Inc.	28.48
Luke T. Cheney	31.50
Clifford W. Ayer	60.10
George G. Wells	7.10
	$177.18
Grand Total	$27,573.03

Respectfully Submitted
Ralph J. Whipple,
George G. Wells,
Marguerite B. Rowe,
School Board

VITAL STATISTICS

Marriages Registered in the Town of Sutton, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1952

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride and Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Age	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Sn. Wid. or Div.	No. of Marriage	Name, Res., and Official Station of Personby whom Married
December 31, 1950	Robert Wallace Wright	42	Winthrop, Mass.	Louis C. Wright	D	2	
Marblehead, Mass.	Sutton			Flora Greenless			Rev. N. D. Kretzman
	Elizabeth Dillingham Wright	37	Swampscott, Mass.	Norman S. Dillingham	D	2	Clergyman
	Swampscott, Mass.			Grace T. Clark			Marblehead, Mass.
February 6, 1952	Vic Richard Chambers	35	Buffalo, N. Y.	Vic Chambers	D	2	
Keene	Walpole			Ethel Hartshorn			Rev. Orrin L. Kosmo
	Margaret Metcalf Chambers	33	Boston, Mass.	Arthur H. Metcalf	D	2	Clergyman
	West Springfield			Josephine Gavin			Keene
March 22, 1952	Leonard Anthony Kelley	27	Massachusetts	Ervin L. Kelley	S	1	
Sutton	Milton, Mass.			Dorothy M. Griffin			Rev. Samuel Lowe
	Charlotte Katherine Sullivan	28	Massachusetts	Eugene F. Sullivan	D	2	Clergyman
	Mattapan, Mass.			Leontine P. Pannier			Bradford
April 6, 1952	Warren Lucien Sawyer	18	New Hampshire	Archie L. Sawyer	S	1	
Warner	Sutton			Charlotte Jackman			Rev. Vincent B. Wayland
	Betty Louise Shaw	15	New Hampshire	Benjamin H. Shaw	S	1	Clergyman
	Warner			Jeanette C. Richardson			Warner

April 12, 1952	Eugene Horner Green	42	New Jersey	Eugene C. Green	S	1		
Andover	New London			Lena M. Rice				Donald A. Ayrton
	Marjorie Irma Fifield	22	New Hampshire	Clifford D. Fifield	S	1		Justice of the Peace
	Sutton			Victoria B. Snilson				Andover
August 20, 1952	George Edward Wheeler	44	Vermont	George F. Wheeler	W	2		
Claremont	Sutton			Emma Graham				Rose Ellen Charron
	Elinor May Frazier	31	Massachusetts	Ralph Cain	D	2		Justice of the Peace
	Claremont			Edith Waters				Claremont
September 7, 1952	Carlton Russell Bradford, Jr.	26	New Hampshire	Carlton R. Bradford	S	1		
New London	Sutton			Beatrice A. Frost				Rev. Arlington E. Wry
	Dorothy Hale	27	Massachusetts	Myron E. Hale	S	1		Clergyman
	New London			Bertha P. Abbott				New London
September 13, 1952	Edwin Fiske Fracas	36	New York	John Fracas	A	2		
New London	Larchmont, N. Y.			Ida Giuffra				Rev. Arlington E. Wry
	Lucille Emma Mulligan	20	New Jersey	John J. Mulligan	S	1		Clergyman
	Sutton			Ella A. Hellmann				New London
October 4, 1952	Howard Earl Hurd	20	New London	Harold D. Hurd	S	1		
Jaffrey	Sutton			Madaline B. Brooks				Rev. A. G. Lund
	June Turner	23	Jaffrey	Leon S. Turner	S	1		Clergyman
	Jaffrey			Clara E. Jackson				Jaffrey
December 29, 1952	Gordon George Davis	21	Langdon	Ira E. Davis	S	1		
Newport	Guild			Georgie M. Plummer				Rev. W. F. Brown
	Florence Ellen Hill	19	Sutton	Willis Hill	S	1		Clergyman
	Sutton			Florence Partridge				Newport
December 29, 1952	Frank Borraclough	44	Bradford, England	Squire Borraclough	D	2		
Sutton	Marion, Indiana			Miriam Woodley				Rev. Millard D. Webster
	Muriel Eleanor Stuart	38	New London	William C. Sanborn	D	2		Clergyman
	Sutton			Bessie Jones				Sutton

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I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.
EVANGELINE A. CHADWICK, Town Clerk.

Births Registered in the Town of Sutton, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1952

Date and Place of Birth 1952	Name of Child (if any)	Sex	Liv. or St. b.	No. of Child	Name of Father and Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents and Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father and Mother
January 24					Morris A. Wheeler	Sutton	Concord
New London	Maureen Wheeler	F	L	2	Veronica P. Quimby	Textile Worker	Wilmington, Mass.
March 27					Weston A. Chadwick	Sutton	Sutton
New London	Vickie A. Chadwick	F	L	3	Patricia A. Shepard	Carpenter	Montpelier, Vt.
April 13					Allen Chadwick	Sutton	Otterville, Mass.
New London	Allen Chadwick, Jr.	M	L	4	Sylvia J. Willey	Lumberman	St. Johnsbury, Vt.
June 4					Preston Quinbey	Sutton	Drury, Ala.
New London	Jennie L. Quinbey	F	L	1	Jessie A. Cheney	Sawyer	So. Newbury
June 26					Clayton S. French	Sutton	Carmel, Me.
New London	Clayton Sumner, Jr.	M	L	2	Corinne Bradford	Mason	New London
July 25					Chester H. Martin	Sutton	Danbury
New London	Douglas Chester	M	L	1	Thelma L. Patten	U. S. Marines	Loudon
August 11					Paul W. Richardson	Sutton	Lebanon
New London	Christine	F	L	3	Muriel M. Chadwick	Cook	New London
August 31					Alsus L. Hurd	Sutton	Worcester, Vt.
New London	Frederick Peter	M	L	6	Jean M. DeLong	Machinist	Woodstock, N. B., Can.
Nov. 13					Edward B. Adams		
Hanover	John Edward Adams	M	L	1	Ann Packard	Sutton	

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Deaths Registered in the Town of Sutton, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1952

Date and Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Sex	Age, Years	Months	Days	Place of Birth and Occupa.	Sing. Mar. or Wid.	Name of Father and Maiden Name of Mother
December 23, 1951						Vergennes, Vt.		Francis LaJoy
Ausable, N. Y.	Charles A. LaJoy	M	75	4	14	Farmer	*U	Mary Trudeau
February 20, 1952						Sutton		Ben W. Bullard
Laconia	Harley Ray Bullard	M	46	2	9	Bus Driver	M	Sadie W. Pressey
March 15, 1952						New London		Richard Smiley
New London	Robert Lane Smiley	M	23	9		Student	M	Sylvia Bradford
April 11, 1952						Charlotte, Me.		John Henry Sprague
Concord	Florence E. Mecum	F	96	5		Housewife	W	Nancy MacLaughlin
April 23, 1952						New London		Amos Hunt
New London	Fred John Hunt	M	78	8		Laborer	W	Rosetta Sanders
July 21, 1952						Lorain, Ohio		Hiram E. Rowley
Sutton	Emma Rilla Read	F	72	6	19	Housewife	M	Anna Watts
July 29, 1952						Worcester, Mass.		William Hayden
Sutton	George E. Hayden	M	79	3	26	Tree Warden	W	Mary Shea
August 17, 1952						Cornish		Charles Nelson
Warner	Harlan Curtis Nelson	M	47	5	16	Laborer	M	Not Known
October 24, 1952						New York, N. Y.		Thomas Maxcy
Concord	John Maxcy	M	62	11		Laborer	M	Margaret Gorman
November 8, 1952						New York, N. Y.		Ludwig Linder
Concord	Helen Schumacher	F	73	9		Retired	W	Not Known
December 31, 1952						New York, N. Y.		Robert Lowe
New London	Thomas Lowe	M	56	9	20	Prof. Entertainer	M	Margaret Small

* Unknown

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